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In re application of: : **Mail Stop Issue Fee**
Yukio WAKASA : Patent Art Unit: 2841
Serial No.: 10/516,357 : Examiner: Randy W. Gibson
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FOR: WEIGHT DETECTING APPARATUS WITH VIBRATIONAL SENSORS ATTACHED
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REQUEST FOR ISSUE OF PATENT TO ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §3.81(a)

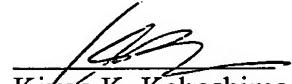
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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the above-identified patent application issue in the named of the assignee, which is ISHIDA CO. LTD., and whose is 44 Sannno-cho, Shogoin, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto, Japan 606-8392. Although the assignment has not been recorded, the request for recordation has been filed on December 1, 2004 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §3.11. Copies of the assignment, assignment cover sheet, and the return postcard as filed are attached hereto.

If there are any questions regarding this Request, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,


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In Re: Yukio WAKASA

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For: WEIGHT DETECTING APPARATUS

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- Check(s) for \$ 990.00
- English Translation of Int'l Application-
17 pgs. 10 claims
- Drawings 8 Sheets Formal Informal
- Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney
- Declaration
- Power of Attorney
- Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b)
- Assignment with Cover Sheet
- Application Data Sheet
- Claim for Priority & Document(s)
- Completion of Application

- Preliminary Amendment
- Notice of Appeal
- Brief Req. Oral Hearing
- Issue/Publication Fee Transmittal
- Copy of Int'l Application 14 pgs.
- PCT/IB/304
- PCT/RO/101
- PCT/ISA/210
- PCT/ISA/220
- PCT/ISA/237
- 2 Replacement Drawings

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- Assignment Merger
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Execution Date: **(1) 10/13/04**

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: **ISHIDA CO., LTD.**
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Sakyo-ku**City: **Kyoto** Prefecture: **Kyoto**
Country: **Japan** ZIP: **606-8392**Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

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ASSIGNMENT

[Executed in Japan]

WHEREAS, Yukio WAKASA, a citizen of Japan residing at
c/o ISHIDA CO., LTD Shiga Integrated Facility, 959-1, Shimomagari, Ritto-shi, Shiga
520-3026, Japan,

hereinafter referred to as the Assignor(s), have invented certain new and useful improvements in
[REDACTED] WEIGHT DETECTING APPARATUS

for which the Assignor(s) have executed an Application for United States Letters Patent on even
date herewith, AND WHEREAS, [REDACTED] ISHIDA CO., LTD. having its principal place
of business at [REDACTED] 44, Sanno-cho, Shogoin, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto 606-8392, Japan

(hereinafter referred to as the Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest
in and to said invention and said Application and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United
States or foreign as indicated below, to be obtained therefor and thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which
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said applications to be borne and paid by said assignee.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned Assignor(s) have affixed their signatures.

This 13 day of October, 2004 Signature Yukio Wakasa